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Ceylon's Parliamentary Lineup  
(not including speaker)

I. GOVERNMENT: totals 50

- A. Sri Lanka Freedom party; moderate-socialist; maximum 42\*
- B. Appointed members; 6
- C. Independents; 2

\*This number includes four independents who consistently support or who have joined the Freedom party; original party members number 38.

II. OPPOSITION: totals 47

- A. United National party; "conservative" by Asian standards; 5
- B. Federal party; represents the minority Tamil-speaking people; 7
- C. Other Tamil parties; 2
- D. Trotskyite parties;
  - 1. Lanka Sama Samaj party; 14
  - 2. Viplavakari Lanka Sama Samaj party; 5
- E. Orthodox Communist party; Moscow-directed; 3
- F. Other parties, independants, and six members who defected from the Sri Lanka Freedom party in May; 11

\*Opposition total recently reduced by death of a Tamil member and defection of a United National party member to the government.

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